

1. A method of prioritizing a plurality of items for presentation to a graphical user interface comprising:

(b) establishing a priority of said plurality of items based on the criteria determined by step (a).

3. The method of claim 2, further comprising (c) presenting said items to said graphical user interface according to said priority.

5. The method of claim 4, wherein said relationship is a relative importance.

7. The method of claim 3, and wherein said items are windows, and wherein step (c) presents said windows to said graphical user interface according to said priority.

9. The method of claim 8, wherein said relationship is a relative importance.

11. The method of claim 3, wherein said items are icons, and wherein step (c) presents said icons for display at locations on said graphical user interface that are ordered according to said priority.

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28. The computer readable medium of claim 16, further comprising (c) in response to a user selection of a skip function, presenting to said graphical user interface one of said plurality of items that has a higher priority than that of the remainder of said plurality of items.

38. The computer system of claim 32, wherein said items are icons, and wherein means (c) presents said icons for display at locations on said graphical user interface that are ordered according to said priority.

39. The computer system of claim 32, wherein means (c) responds to a user selection of a skip function to present to said graphical user interface one of said plurality of items that has a higher priority than that of the remainder of said plurality of items.

40. The computer system of claim 39, wherein said skip function is a back function.

41. A computer system that presents a plurality of web pages to a graphical user interface, said computer system comprising:

a cache;

a prioritization means comprising:

(a) a means for determining for each of said web pages two or more criteria selected from the group consisting of: (i) a time first opened, (ii) a time last opened, (iii) a number of times accessed during a predetermined time interval, (iv) a visibility on the graphical user interface, (v) an amount of scrolling, (vi) a content thereof, (vii) a time of day and (viii) a user history related to one or more of said criteria;

(b) a means for establishing a priority of said plurality of items based on the criteria determined by means (a);

(c) a means for storing said web pages in said cache; and

(d) a means for discarding from said cache one of said plurality of web pages, of which the priority is lower than that of the remainder of said plurality of web pages.

42. The computer system of claim 41, further comprising (d) a means for establishing a relationship between two of said criteria, and wherein means (b) determines said priority based on said criteria and said relationship.

43. The computer system of claim 42, wherein said relationship is a relative importance.

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